

APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES LETTERS PATENT**POST-FILED PCT Declaration and Power of Attorney (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4))****PCT Application - United States Designated Office**

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**THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR PRURITUS COMPRISING PIPERIDINE
DERIVATIVE AS ACTIVE INGREDIENT**

described and claimed in serial number 10/564,579 deposited January 13, 2006 which is the national phase application of international application number PCT/JP2004/010542 filed July 16, 2004;

I have reviewed and understand the contents of said specification, including claims.

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